## Selected Demographic Information

|                                      | Ripley County | Indiana         |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Population (2000)                    | 25,523        | 6,080,485       |
| Land area (in square miles)          | 446.4         | 35,867          |
| Population density (2000)            |               |                 |
| (persons per square mile)            | 59.4          | 169.5           |
| Median age (2000)                    | 35.7          | 35.2            |
| Percentage of population male/female |               |                 |
| (2000)                               | 49.1%/50.9%   | 49.0%/51.0%     |
| Population                           |               |                 |
| age ≥ 65 years (2000)                | 3,551 (13.4%) | 752,831 (12.4%) |
| male                                 | 1,447 (5.5%)  | 303,797 (5.0%)  |
| female                               | 2,104 (7.9%)  | 449,034 (7.4%)  |
| age ≥ 85 years (2000)                | 510 (1.9%)    | 91,558 (1.5%)   |
| Percentage of population below       |               |                 |
| poverty level (1997)                 | 9.7%          | 9.9%            |
| Percentage of school-aged children   |               |                 |
| (under age 18) below poverty level   | 11.9%         | 14.8%           |
| (1997)                               |               |                 |
| Households headed by single women,   |               |                 |
| no husband present (2000)            | 853 (8.7%)    | 259,372 (11.1%) |
| Median household income (1997)       | \$36,854      | \$37,909        |

County Website: http://www.indico.net/counties/RIPLEY/

Local Health Department contact information:

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HPSAs: none

MUAs: Brown Township (Score is 57.9)

Center township (Score is 60.8)

Delaware Township (Score is 61.1)

Sources:

STATS Indiana Profiles (www.stats.indiana.edu/profiles)

U.S. Census Bureau: State and County Quick Facts (http://www.census.gov); Spanish-language tables are available online.